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TC 3700 MAIL ROOM

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Appln. No.: 09/092,546

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Title: **DEVICE FOR THE METERED
ADMINISTRATION OF A FLUID DRUG**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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20231 on this 31 day of March, 2003.
KrisAnne Popovits

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of two (2) months (from February 8, 2003 to April 8, 2003) within which to respond to the Office Action dated November 8, 2002. A check in the amount of \$614, \$410 of which is enclosed herewith to cover the two-month extension fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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